Goodman

GOODMAN FAMILY

This will be an involved explanation, but the History of this Family gets a little complicated. James W Goodman married, Mar 20, 1837, Mobile Co, Ala, Caroline L Sossaman and Sarah Louise Goodman (James' twin sister) married Duke W Goodman (a cousin). James and Duke were both merchants in Mobile and Duke owned property in Ms: a plantation near Biloxi and a plantation near Mathersville (possible James owned this one). James & Caroline and children are listed in the 1850 Mobile Co, Ala and the 1850 Wayne Co, Ms Census. Duke and Sarah Louise had two children, both died young, and are buried in Magnolia Cemetery, Mobile. Apparently they could not or decided not have any other children and thus they adopted Sarah Louise (dau of James and Caroline), Feb 9, 1850. (Sarah Louise was born Oct 28, 1845 and is listed in the household of Duke Goodman, in 1850, age 5.)

Between 1850 and 1860 Duke's wife, Sarah Louise died (I believe she is buried in Mobile but not in Magnolia Cemetery) and in 1860 James died. On Sep 4, 1860 Duke officially adopted Ann Caroline and wishing to keep the children together, Duke and Caroline Sossaman (James' wife) were married Mar 7, 1861. Thus Sarah Louise, Jr and Ann Caroline were Duke Goodman's legitimate heirs.

Note: In H.H. Daniels book "History of Wayne Co, Ms, Churches & Cemetery Records 1800's - 1915", page D, Geneva Presbyterian Church, Caroline is refered to as Mrs D. W. Goodman.

Goodman, James W	SC 1815	1837	Caroline L Sossaman 1819 AL FB,MR, CR	
Leonard H.	AL 1838			
William Chester				
John Franklin	AL 1843		(1900 Census shows Single)	
Sarah Louise	AL 1845	1864	Elisha Grigsby Porter Mohler 1838 Va FB,MR,CR	
Ann Caroline	AL 1847		Dr Edward S. Lott	
			W.T. Dabney	
James W	AL 1851		Ida L Harbin	1857 Ms
Duke				
Allen A	AL 1857		Ann J Mathers	1859 AL

The list of children comes from Carrie Lee Mohler Avera, except for James W whom she omitted.

a. Leonard H - probably the Leonard H Goodman buried in Magnolia Cemetery, Mobile:"Son of Jas. W. & Caroline Goodman, Sept 20, 1838 - Mar 26, 1867.

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b. William Chester - nothing known

c. John Franklin - listed various ways in Census: John F., J. Franklin, Franklin, etc. Buried in Stagg Cemetery, Matherville, tombstone reads: J. Franklin Goodman died Feb 24, 1907 age 63 yrs old. 1900 Census household of Allen Goodman lists brother, Frank, b. Apr 1844.

d. Sarah Louise - as discussed in opening remarks. She is buried in cemetery at Long Beach, Ms also Major Elisha Grigsby Porter Mohler. He served in the Confederate Army in Moblie and in Corinth, Ms.

e. Ann Caroline - was married twice:
(1 Dr Edward S Lott and they had a son Eddie O. Lott, who is listed in the 1880 Census in the household of Caroline and anotated grandson, age 12, Ms. Have been unable to find Edward and Ann Caroline (Goodman) Lott in the 1870 Census. Have not located Eddie O. Lott in the 1880 or 1900 Census.

(2 W.T. Dabney and they had a son Milton Dabney Have not located this family in Census. However Ann Caroline, Called Carrie is buried in Stagg Cemetery, tombstone reads: Carrie wife of W.T. Dabney June 7, 1846 - Oct 22, 1877.

Note: The 1900 Census, Wayne Co, lists a Milton Dabney, age 23, Ms, Newspaper man. Have not checked the 1910 Census.

f. James W & Ida L Harbin - the Ida L comes from the 1900 Wayne Co Census. You list her as Lula L. Harber. (Lula is apparently a common nickname for Louise or Louisa) However there is a grave in Hebron Cemetery which reads: Infant Goodman son of J. W. & L.L. 1880 1880

Elizabeth Harbin is listed as Mother-in-Law in the household of James and Ida in the 1900 Census. Thus, Ida is probably the daughter of Dr. James C and Elizabeth Harbin buried in Hebron Cemetery Wayne Co, Ms.

g. Duke - Possibly the Duke Williams Goodman, M.D. July 14, 1854 - Jan 10, 1910 and wife Mary Hamilton Goodman died Dec 14, 1920. Marriage license reads D. W. Goodman and Marry T Hamilton who are within named , at S. Hamilton res Mobile 15 Feb 1882, signed E. T. Farmer O. M. G

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h. Allen & Ann J. Mathers - The Ann J. comes from the 1900 Census, Wayne Co, Ms. I suspected the Mathers since one of the children was named: Allene Mathers Goodman died July 16, 1887, 19 days old and Duke William Goodman Jr son of A.A. & J.M. Oct 16 1893, July 1, 1895. Both buried in Stagg Cemetery.

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Attractive Attendant In Mobile Wedding

Hammel Photo

MISS MARGARET FOWLER
is pictured in the lovely gown which she wore in the wedding of her cousin, Miss Mary Frances Goodman, and Daniel Alexander, which was an interesting event of October 18. Miss Fowler's graceful height and pretty coloring was enhanced by the old-fashioned gown of chin-chin blue taffeta, with which she wore a halo hat of illusion.

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Good man

William Flournoy Goodman Sr.

■ MADISON — William Flournoy Goodman Sr., 96, died Tuesday, June 11, 1996, in Madison.

Mr. Goodman was a native of Biloxi but had resided in Jackson since 1924. He retired in 1965 from First National Bank, now Trustmark National Bank. He later worked at Citizens National Bank and the United States Post Office. He was an honorary steward of Galloway Memorial United Methodist Church, was on the Board of the Salvation Army for many years and was formerly a member of the Exchange Club.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Marguerite Watkins Goodman.

Survivors include a daughter, Julia Goodman Puryear of Hazlehurst; a son, William F. Goodman Jr. of Jackson; a brother, F. C. "Jack" Goodman of Austin, Texas; a sister, May Goodman of Biloxi; six grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

A service was at 10:30 a.m. Friday, June 14, at Galloway Memorial United Methodist Church.

The family prefers memorials to Galloway Memorial United Methodist Church, Hazlehurst United Methodist Church or the Salvation Army.

Wright and Ferguson Funeral Home in Jackson was in charge of arrangements.